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Serial No.: 09/973,145
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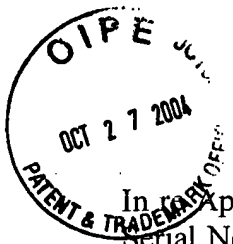
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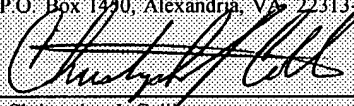
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Sir:

The instant case was passed to allowance on August 27, 2004. This Amendment is in response to the Office Communication, mailed October 1, 2004, "Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification".

Beginning on page two of this response are the changes made to the specification by the current amendment in conformity with 37 C.F.R 1.121. The attached page is captioned, "**Amendments to the Specification**".



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NOTICE OF DRAWING INCONSISTENCY WITH SPECIFICATION

The drawings filed 10-19-2001 have been received. However, an inconsistency exists between the drawings and the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Figures 11A, 11B, and 11C are listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification but not contained in the Drawings.

Figure 11 is contained in the Drawings but not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Applicant is required to correct the above-noted inconsistency within a time period of **ONE MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer**, from the mailing date of this Notice, or within the time remaining in the time period set forth in the Notice of Allowability (Form PTOL-37) to file corrected drawings, whichever is longer. **NO EXTENSION OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER EITHER 37 CFR 1.136 (a) OR (b)**

Failure to correct the above noted inconsistency will result in **abandonment** of the application.

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